

PATENT

Patent Application Serial No. 10/792,014
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SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS

Please **REPLACE** the section on page 1, following the title of the invention, with the following:

The present Application:

- (i) claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/451,969, filed March 4, 2003, entitled "METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR BOUNDING PLAY OF A GAMING DEVICE", ~~and also~~
- (ii) ~~claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/452,164, filed March 4, 2003, entitled "METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ASSOCIATING SYMBOLS WITH A STATE OF A GAMING DEVICE."~~

The entirety of each of the above ~~applications~~ application is incorporated by reference herein for all purposes.

Please **ADD** the following paragraph, between lines 24 and 25 of page 2 of the specification and immediately before the heading "Field of the Invention":

The present application is related to commonly owned, earlier filed Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/452,164, filed March 4, 2003, entitled "METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ASSOCIATING SYMBOLS WITH A STATE OF A GAMING DEVICE, which is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety for all purposes.